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PLAINFIELD

Bowling Green Club Elects Officers—Membership of 30—High School Players for Tonight's Game at Putnam—Whist Party.

At a recent meeting of the Plainfield Bowling Green club the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, William Barlow; vice president, William Judson; secretary, Asa Hilton; treasurer, G. Kershaw.

The coming season is looked forward to with great pleasure by the club, which is in a most prosperous condition. The clubhouse and the grounds are the finest for miles around and the Lawton Mills company is at present installing an electric lighting system in the club building. There is a membership of 30 on the roll now but they are desirous of boosting the membership to 50 through application to Secretary Asa Hilton.

Players for Tonight's Game.

When the Plainfield High school basketball team opposes the Putnam High five in the latter's gymnasium this (Friday) evening Coach Collins will use the following men in the game: Forth and Smith forwards; Daggett and Allen centers; Burby, Burke and Denison guards.

Plainfield has one victory to her credit over the Putnam team this season.

Evening of Whist.

The Children of Mary Society conducted their weekly whist in St. John's various rooms, Wednesday evening.

Various News Items.

The Plainfield Military band, Lorenzo Kraus, director, held a rehearsal in the band room Thursday evening. Francis J. Sullivan visited Providence friends Thursday.

Yesterday's warm melted much of the snow which had covered the ground since Monday.

James M. O'Neil, London was a Plainfield caller Thursday. Mr. M. was formerly engineer in Mill No. 2 of this Lawton Mills corporation.

The Junior choir of St. John's church held the weekly rehearsal on Thursday evening.

The final recital by Sullivan's Concert orchestra is to be given this (Friday) evening.

Ovilia Charron was a Norwich caller Thursday evening.

The Central Y.M.C.A. company expects that the looms to be used in the addition built to their plant will arrive some time this month.

COLCHESTER

Funeral of Mrs. Eliza A. Murphy—Body Taken to New Milford for Burial—Brief Notes.

The funeral of Mrs. Eliza A. Murphy was held in St. Andrew's church this (Friday) morning at 6.15 o'clock. Rev. D. R. O'Donnell officiated. The body was conveyed to the 7.20 a.m. train and accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. E. Baker, was taken to New Milford for burial.

J. H. Hungerford of Millington was a caller here Thursday.

Louis Ingalls of Salem was a Colchester visitor Thursday.

C. C. Belmont of Williamantic was in town Thursday.

Mrs. B. D. Remington is ill at her home on Livedon avenue with grip.

Clayton D. Barton of East Hampton was calling on friends in town Wednesday.

Superintendent Kramer has men and teams putting on a carload of trap rock on the South Main Street State road.

Edwin Hagan of North Plains was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Ernest Rump of Hebron was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Higgins on Myrtle avenue Thursday.

Collinsville—Collins council, No. 17, O. U. A. M., having closed their affairs some time ago and voted to disband, George L. Pelham, organizer for the order in the state, came from New Haven last week, and to him was turned over the rituals and paraphernalia of the order.

THE DAY'S DOINGS IN WESTERLY

Annual Inspection of Fifth Co.—Board of Trade Anxious to Aid Artillerymen—St. Vincent de Paul Society Plans House for Widow With Six Children—Whitall Electric Co. Offers Services to Government.

Within a month the Laurel Glen Line works will be in running order, according to a statement given out yesterday. The company in charge of the work of the factory was incorporated under the laws of Connecticut Jan. 15, with a capital stock of \$25,000. The officers are: Charles P. Eccleston, president; Ralph B. Briggs, treasurer; Harry B. Agard, secretary. The officers make up the board of directors.

An official of the Whitall Electric company of Westerly announced yesterday that the company had offered the services of its organization to the navy department. The offer involves about 100 men working at the present time between Westerly and Springfield, Mass.

Thursday afternoon Dr. Edwin R. Lewis of High street was forced to amputate the third finger on the left hand of Roy Mills of Hopkinton City, who had caught the member in the gear of a machine on which he was working. Mills had received temporary treatment in Ashaway before coming to Westerly with his injury.

At the annual meeting of the Westerly Lumber company the following officers were elected: Charles P. Eccleston, president; Frank Hill, vice president; Joseph Lenihan, secretary and general manager. The board of directors is composed of Joseph L. Lenihan, A. B. Briggs, L. A. Briggs, W. C. Rogers, C. P. Eccleston and Frank Hill.

It was voted at the directors' meeting to erect a second story on the sheds on Oak street and to continue the tracks across Oak street, the privilege having already been granted by the town. A cash dividend was voted.

Samuel Nardone submitted the lowest bid to the Westerly highway commission for grading a section of highway adjoining the Westerly Hill road, an approximate distance of 1,000 feet.

The annual inspection of the Fifth company, Artillery corps, R. I. N. G., was held Thursday evening in the state armory on Dixon street by Major Forst.

Now that the interest in coast protection has increased, there appears to be more concern in Westerly over the Fifth company, which, in event of a war declaration, would probably

REGIMENT TO BE RECRUITED FROM NEW YORK PRISONERS

Should the President Issue an Order For a Volunteer Army.

New York, Feb. 8.—A regiment of convicts recruited from the 5,000 inmates of the city's penal institutions, will be offered the government should the president issue a call for a volunteer army, according to plans announced here today by Burdett G. Lewis, commissioner of correction. He said the project had been discussed with Major Leonard Wood, commander of the department of the east, who had expressed the belief that it would be possible for the war department to modify its rules so that convicts could be sworn into the military service.

Military training is already practiced in one of the city prisons, the commissioner said, and would be set up in the others if war comes. At the suggestion of General Wood, Mr. Lewis obtained from the secretary of war the standards and requirements for enlisted men and many of the prisoners have been subjected to these tests, more than 20 per cent of 400 inmates in one institution, he said, every one volunteered to go if called.

The parole commission would parole the prisoners upon their enlistment in the convict regiment. Commissioner Lewis said. He added it would be preferable to have the men enlist in a body rather than scatter them and they could be officered by keepers in the prisons, some of whom have seen service.

AMERICAN SURVIVORS OF STEAMSHIP PALERMO

Twenty-Two Arrived in New York From Barcelona.

New York, Feb. 8.—Twenty-two horsemen, survivors of the Italian steamship Palermo, sunk in the Mediterranean, by a German submarine in December, arrived here today on the Spanish steamship Clopez Lopez from Barcelona. They asserted that the Palermo was torpedoed without warning and that one of their number, Fred Murphy of New York, was killed. The sinking of the Palermo, according to cable despatches last month, was being investigated by Thomas Nelson Page, American ambassador to Rome. He gathered evidence, the despatches said, that the ship was torpedoed without warning.

Bridgeport—William H. Marigold, Jr., of Bridgeport, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States court at Hartford Wednesday, and he made oath he did not have the money to pay the filing fee, so far as the schedules show he has no business. Many of the claims are for merchandise.

soon be assigned to duty. The subject of helping the company was brought up at the meeting of the Board of Trade this week when Town Clerk Everett Whipple said he thought, by aiding the company, the town could display real patriotism.

To build a house for Mrs. Frank Ikonatti and her six children is the project being undertaken by the St. Vincent de Paul society, a charitable organization of this town, of which Hon. Joseph T. Murphy is one of the leading workers. Incidentally he is treasurer. Mrs. Ikonatti, since the death of her husband, has been in dire need. At present her large family has been living in a two-room tenement on Oak street for which she pays \$4 a month rent. A small amount is given toward her support by the town.

In order to raise the money for the cost of the lumber, a concert and entertainment is to be given this evening at Sherry's in New York. The affair is under the direction of the New York Historical society. Mr. Arnold is a lawyer in the city, the son of former State Senator Louis W. Argold.

The death of Alpheus Eldred, a well known Westerly resident, occurred Thursday morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. James L. Nash, at Watch Hill. Mr. Eldred had been ill for three weeks, but his health has not been good for several months. At one time he was superintendent of the Westerly branch of the Prudential Insurance company. Besides a mother, he is survived by a sister and four brothers.

Local Laconics.

George B. Utter left town yesterday for a brief business trip to New York City.

The first rehearsal for the Colonial club show was held evening in Caledonia hall on Main street. The director, George Lord, of Boston, was present.

The largest attended meeting of the Westerly troop of Boy Scouts was held Wednesday evening. Herman Dock of this town presided. The boys on his experiences in the Rocky mountains.

SCANDINAVIAN SEAMEN TO PROTEST GERMAN BLOCKADE

Declare It Increases Dangers of Seamen in Lawful Occupation.

Gothenburg, Sweden, Feb. 8, via London, 4.42 p. m.—The Scandinavian seamen's conference today adopted a resolution of protest against the German blockade. The protest declares the new submarine warfare increases the dangers of all seamen engaged in their lawful occupations, and the conference, in the name of the Scandinavian seamen, in the name of all those who have lost their dear ones or their supporters through piratical actions cannot do otherwise than protest indignantly against seamen who have sworn to do with the war as the murdered in cold blood while engaged in the faithful performance of their arduous labor.

The resolution mentions "the moral indignation of seamen's organizations over the sentence for conspiracy against Germany and the requirements for enlisted men and many of the prisoners have been subjected to these tests, more than 20 per cent of 400 inmates in one institution, he said, every one volunteered to go if called.

PRUDENCE RECOMMENDED BY PETROGRAD NEWSPAPERS

In Action of Small Neutral Nations on Germany's Maritime Warfare.

Petrograd, Feb. 8, via London, 4.41 p. m.—Petrograd newspapers fear that the welfare of the entire allies might be menaced seriously if small neutral countries adopt President Wilson's suggestion and follow the example of the United States. They recommend prudence in view of the recent experiences of the wrecking of weak nations which may be overrun easily by Germany before combined resistance is possible.

The Bourne Gazette, whose attitude is typical, says the trend of recent events should not lead the instinct of self-preservation among smaller neutrals. Their policy, it contends, should be determined by their geographical position.

PEOPLE OF WISCONSIN NOT IN FAVOR OF WAR

But Pledge Loyalty to President Wilson in Any Event.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 8.—The lower house of the Wisconsin legislature today adopted a resolution declaring that the people of Wisconsin are not in favor of war but pledging loyalty to the state in any action President Wilson may take.

Killingworth—Mr. and Mrs. Cleo M. Stoney of the local high school were strict. Killingworth, passed the 50th anniversary of their marriage Sunday.

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DAVIS THEATRE TODAY AND TO MORROW

BOPP AND VON BRINCKEN HAVE DEPOSITED \$50,000
To Save Themselves Going to Jail Pending New Trial.

San Francisco, Feb. 8.—Franz Bopp, former German consul-general, and Lieutenant George Wilhelm von Brincken, vice consul-general, who were charged with conspiring against American neutrality, deposited \$50,000 with the United States district court to save themselves from going to prison, pending their appeal.

Von Brincken's liberty was made possible when C. C. Crowley and Mrs. Margaret Corbett, his assistants, surrendered themselves and transferred \$25,000 bail for his use.

Former Vice Consul E. H. von Schack put up \$25,000 yesterday, making a total of \$75,000 supplied by patriotic Germans and some sympathizing German-Americans. All the defendants were out on \$10,000 bail each until yesterday, when Judge William H. Hunt in the United States district court declared the break in diplomatic relations between Germany and the United States made increased bonds necessary.

GERMAN VESSEL IN PHILIPPINES AFIRE
As the Last of the 120 Members of the Crew Were Being Removed.

Cebu, Philippines, Feb. 8.—As the last of the 120 members of the crew of the German steamer Prinzess Alice was being removed today, the vessel was discovered to be on fire. The blaze was extinguished after it had caused slight damage. The Prinzess Alice is the largest of the German vessels tied up in the Philippines.

The Prinzess Alice was one of the three German vessels lying at Cebu under date of Feb. 6 says that the embarrassment which the Greek government feels on being asked by the United States for a definition of her attitude toward Germany's unlimited submarine campaign is due to the wish of the Greek government to avoid the dissatisfaction of the United States, upon which nation Greece depends for wheat.

Paris, Feb. 8, 11.10 a. m.—A Havas news agency despatch from Athens under date of Feb. 6 says that the embarrassment which the Greek government feels on being asked by the United States for a definition of her attitude toward Germany's unlimited submarine campaign is due to the wish of the Greek government to avoid the dissatisfaction of the United States, upon which nation Greece depends for wheat.

Meriden—January was the biggest death month in the history of Meriden. During the month there were 59 deaths, the majority due to pneumonia. The nearest number to that was in December, when there were 48, due largely to a grip epidemic.

GREATER POWER IN PROSECUTION OF SPIES
Provided for in Seventeen Bills Drafted by the Department of Justice.

Washington, Feb. 8.—The seventeen bills drafted by the department of justice to give the federal government greater power in the prosecution of spies, conspirators and offenders against American neutrality were reported to the senate today by the judiciary committee. Acting Chairman Overman said he expected to call them up for action at the earliest possible moment. They were favorably reported to the house Tuesday and will be pressed for early passage there also.

Among the bills are measures to punish spying on any work of national defense; forgery or fraudulent obtaining of passports; destruction or crippling of foreign ships in American harbors; conspiracies to interfere with the export of munitions and many other provisions designed to suppress the plots of foreign sympathizers since the war began.

A MEETING OF PAN-AMERICAN UNION CALLED
With the Idea of Averting War Between the U. S. and Germany.

Buenos Aires, Argentine Republic, Feb. 8.—The newspaper La Prensa announces that a meeting of the Pan-American Union has been called. It adds that Romulo S. Naon, the Argentine minister to the United States, has proposed that an international conference be held in Madrid with the idea of averting war between the United States and Germany.

The announcement has attracted much attention. El Diario says the initiative of Ambassador Naon is not in accord with the purpose of the Argentine government, which probably was not consulted.

THAW NOT IN CONDITION TO LEAVE HOSPITAL
Police Surgeon Reports That He Is Slowly Improving.

Philadelphia, Feb. 8.—A police surgeon today made another examination of Harry K. Thaw, who cut his throat four weeks ago, and reported to detective headquarters that Thaw is not yet in condition to be removed from the hospital. According to his physician, Thaw is improving slowly and may be in the hospital for a couple more weeks. Thaw is under arrest on a New York warrant, charging him with beating a Kansas City boy.

GERMANY SINKING VESSELS 1,000,000 TONS A MONTH
A Serious Menace if Continued With Success of Past Few Days.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Germany's ruthless submarine warfare continues with the success of the past three days, would destroy within a short time a great part of the world's merchant tonnage. Officials here estimated today, on records for the three days since expiration of the time allowed in the German proclamation for ships at sea on February 1 to get into port, that vessels were being sunk at the rate of nearly a million tons a month, the amount German naval authorities set as necessary to starve the British Isles. At that rate it would take just four years to destroy the tonnage of the entire world—45,000,000 tons—if all the world's ships ventured into the war zone.

Lloyds reports pits the tonnage sunk February 6 and 7 at about 85,000 tons. The would turned out in 1916 less than two million tons of merchant vessels. During the day the Germans sank a trifle more than that, making the net loss of the world's shipping at about one and one half per cent.

Ship manufacturers in all the allied and neutral countries are rushing the work on merchant ships. Vessels have been standardized and it is almost impossible to have made anywhere a ship of special construction. The British government is having built great steel cargo ships, all alike, and of the simplest construction. The yards are busy night and day on their construction and as soon as they are off the ways keels will be laid for more.

Middleton—Charging his nephews, two prominent Hingham men, with showing unfriendliness towards him, Denison W. Clarke of this city, who died a week ago, leaving an estate estimated at nearly \$100,000, has cut off the nephews with bequests of \$100 each, leaving practically all of the balance to charity. The nephews are Henry C. Clarke and his son, Charles H. Hingham, they being his only heirs-at-law.

GEORGE M. LANDERS IS SUED FOR \$1,000,000
For Alleged Conspiracy Against Pressure Gas Company.

New York, Feb. 8.—A suit for \$1,000,000 brought by Ragland Mondak against George M. Landers, widely known in Connecticut political and financial circles, for alleged conspiracy with the United Gas Improvement company to drive the Pressure Gas company from business, was dismissed in the supreme court here.

Rockville—Alfred Grael of Rockville, employed as a plumber by John J. Mullings of No. 12 Charter Oak avenue, Hartford, burned his face Tuesday while thawing a plugged rapine in the cellar beneath George W. Pearson's saloon at No. 170 Sheldon street, Hartford. Woodwork in the cellar was set on fire by the rapine. The loss was small.

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